FISCAL NOTE

SB 1529 - HB 1539

March 24, 2005

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires a public institution of higher education that does not fully honor the transferability of courses under the university tract program or other articulation agreement to waive tuition and fees for an additional course a student has to take because the institution failed to accept the transfer course.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

Assumption:

• Public institutions are required under the provisions of T.C.A. 49-7-202(e) to accept equivalent courses from other public institutions. It is anticipated that the impact of this requirement would be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director